



The Charles Cortez / Eddie Mizicko Memorial High School Scholarship Application

High School Student Athletic Trainer Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Parent(s) or Guardian(s): _____

Address: _____
Street City Zip

Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

High School Name: _____

School Address: _____
Street City Zip

Years of Service as a High School Student Athletic Trainer: _____

Sports Covered: _____

Describe your involvement in AAATA: _____

Student Athletic Trainer camps/clinics attended: _____

Biographical data of supervising / sponsoring Athletic Trainer

Name: _____

Cell Phone: () _____ School Phone: () _____

Place of Employment: _____

License Number and/or Certification Number: _____

Sponsoring AT Signature

Date

I. Purpose

Alamo Area Athletic Trainers' Association is committed to the encouragement of area High School Student Athletic Trainers as they attempt to further their education. The AAATA sponsors two annual \$250 scholarships to an area High School Student Athletic Trainer who has been accepted to a college or university of their choice.

The **Charles Cortez / Eddie Mizicko Memorial High School Scholarship**, presented by the AAATA, is to provide a scholarship to a deserving high school graduating senior intending to pursue a collegiate or university degree in any field.

II. Criteria

- A. Applicant must be a high school senior in good academic standing with a GPA of 80 or above, or a 3.0 or above (include copy of high school transcript with application).
- B. Minimum of two years' experience, or in the 2nd year as a High School student athletic trainer, under the supervision of an AAATA member is required.
- C. Applicant must be committed to pursuing a collegiate or university degree.**
- D. If the applicants' high school has a full time athletic trainer, they must currently be an active member of the Alamo Area Athletic Trainers' Association by the May 1st deadline, and be willing to sponsor the applicant.
- E. If the applicant's high school does not have a full time athletic trainer, they must be sponsored by a currently active member of the Alamo Area Athletic Trainers' Association.

III. Application Process

- A. Application may be obtained from AAATA Scholarship Chairman, or from the AAATA website.
- B. The following documentation must be submitted together with the completed application form:
 1. A letter of recommendation from the sponsoring Athletic Trainer to include references as to character, work habits, attitude, professionalism, contributions to the high school programs, and aptitude for the profession.
 2. A letter of recommendation from a head coach, teacher, counselor, administrator or team physician to include references as to character, work habits, attitude, professionalism, contributions to the high school programs, and aptitude for the profession.
 3. Others are appreciated
- C. Current Résumé
- D. Acceptance letter from a college or university registrar as proof of acceptance to that institution.
- E. ACT and/or SAT scores.
- F. Write an essay which should include the following:
 1. Applicant's career goals/plans.
 2. About the applicant's experience/time in their high school athletic training program.
 3. Site 5 year goals and 10 year goals.
- G. Application deadline: May 1st (post marked)**
- H. Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student's institution, upon evidence of acceptance into a college or university. This includes student identification number and correct address of school's Financial Aid Office.

IV. Selection Committee

- A. Composition of the selection committee will be as follows:
 1. Scholarship chairman
 2. AAATA Vice President
 3. AAATA Past President

- B. If the selection committee is unable to select an appropriate candidate, the scholarship money will not be awarded.

Notification

Final Scholarship winner will be notified in late June. Additional information may be required before completing the award process.

Applicant:

If you choose to not pursue a collegiate or university degree within 1 year of high school graduation, the scholarship will be forfeited and any remaining balance will be returned to the AAATA.

Send completed application and recommendations to the following:

**Marc Powell
Trinity University - Athletics Dept.
One Trinity Place
San Antonio, TX 78212**